

WASHINGTON STATE LAW ENFORCEMENT / CORRECTIONS VIRTUAL PAT REQUIREMENTS



EQUIPMENT REQUIREMENTS

1. You must have either a mobile smartphone, tablet, or computer (only one is required).

- a. Your device will be used to record your performance so that PST can proctor and score your Virtual Physical Ability Test (V-PAT) Your device must meet the following requirements:
 - Laptop running macOS 10.15.4+
 - Laptop running WindowsOS 10+
 - iPhone 7 or later running iOS13+
 - Android device running Android OS 5+
 - Camera and Microphone enabled
- b. A stand/holder for your device so that it can record your performance.

2. A reliable internet connection.

Your device must be connected to the internet **at all times.** Your device should have a 4G+ or WiFi connection with at least 3 Mbps or better (broadband recommended). **If you lose internet connection, your event may not upload and will not be scored.** Data rates may apply.

PROP REQUIREMENTS

1. Push-ups event:

- a. One 4-inch (or less) item for judging lowest point of push-up. Examples include:
 - A toilet paper roll
 - A paper towel roll
 - A rolled up bath towel secured with a rubber-band
 - Yoga block
 - Etc.
- b. Tape measure or ruler for verifying height of 4-inch (or less) item.

2. Sit-ups event:

- a. A device to secure your feet for the duration of the event. Examples of potential props include:
 - Placing weights over your feet/ankles
 - Placing your feet under a couch or chair
 - Placing your feet under a doorframe
 - Using a second person to hold your feet/ankles
- b. You will need to secure your feet before the test begins. You are not able to adjust the foothold after you start the event.

3. Squat Thrusts event:

a. You may use a floor/workout mat if desired, but not required. If you use a mat, you must be either completely on or completely off the mat during the exam.

TESTING CONSIDERATIONS

- 1. The V-PAT option is ONLY for those candidates testing for Washington State Law Enforcement and/or Corrections. Physical ability testing for other states' requirements are not supported.
 - If you need a PAT completed for a state other than Washington, please see our additional PAT scheduling options.
- 2. You must complete all testing yourself. Cheating during the testing process will not be tolerated and will result in your disqualification.
- 3. Ensure you have all equipment and props required BEFORE starting your test. The test should take you 30-45 minutes to complete.
- 4. Once you begin your test, you must complete each event in order, within time limits, and without taking extra time between events. You will receive:
 - 90-seconds for Push-up event
 - 90-seconds for Sit-up event
 - 3-minutes for Squat Thrusts event
 - Up to 10 minutes between each event for recovery and set-up of your next event.
- 5. Choose a testing location that is quiet and free from distractions and obstructions. The location must also be large enough that you can place your recording device in a location to capture your entire range of motion during testing.
- 6. You will be required to show and/or sign multiple documents in your PST account prior to and/or during your testing.



Your government-issued photo ID.



A signed Applicant Liability and Waiver Form, Test Security Agreement & Non-Disclosure Agreement.

7. Your performance will be recorded and and uploaded to the PST website for proctoring and scoring. Events will be scored within 1-2 business days after submission.

READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS CAREFULLY AND FULLY REVIEW THE PREPARATION VIDEOS TO ENSURE YOU ARE READY FOR YOUR TEST.

